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SUBJECT: LEGAL REPRESENTATION AVAILABLE TO AMERICANS ARRESTED
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1. PUBLIC DEFENDERS ARE ASSIGNED TO ALL PRISONERS, INCLUDING
U.S. NATIONALS, WHO ARE UNABLE TO HIRE PRIVATE COUNSEL ONLY
IN CRIMINAL CASES IN WHICH POSSIBLE SENTENCE WOULD BE MORE THAN
TWENTY YEAR PRISONMENT. PUBLIC
DEFENDERS NOT REPORTED NOT PROVIDED
IN CIVIL OR CRIMINAL CASES INVOLVING LESSER SENTENCES.

2. SUCH LEGAL REPRESENTATION IS READILY AVAILABLE, HOWEVER,
ACCORDING TO SOMALI LAWYERS' ASSOCIATION, PUBLIC DEFENSE WOULD
NOT BE AS GOOD AS DEFENSE BY PRIVATELY FOUNDED ATTORNEY, EVEN
THOUGH IN SOMALI DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC INDIVIDUAL CANNOT HIRE
PARTICULAR LAWYER. EVEN PRIVATELY FUNDED LAWYERS ARE SELECTED
BY GOVERNMENTAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION.
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